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Hon. A. Kathleen Tomlinson United States Magistrate Judge Eastern District of New York 100 Federal Plaza Central Islip, New York 11722

Re: <u>East End Eruv Assoc. v. Westhampton Beach, et al.</u>

Docket No. CV-11-0213 (LDW) (AKT) <u>Verizon, et al. v. Westhampton Beach, et al.</u> Docket No. CV-11-0252 (LDW) (AKT)

Our File No. 110004

Your Honor:

We represent defendant Village of Westhampton Beach in the above referenced cases, currently joined for purposes of discovery. We write on behalf of all parties to respectfully request that the Court schedule a conference at its earliest convenience to discuss the status of discovery.

As Your Honor is probably aware, the parties in both cases submitted forms consenting to have the matter referred to this Court for all purposes. Today, Judge Wexler's chambers advised that he would "so-order" the request. In light of this impending order, and with the April 30th discovery deadline fast-approaching, the parties believe that it would be helpful to have the Court's guidance on a schedule for the remaining discovery, as well as the case going forward.

Should the Court wish to have the parties in this week, we would propose this Friday, April 12th, after 11:00am as a time when all parties are available, since we will be taking a party deposition in the Central Islip Courthouse.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

SOKOLOFF STERN LLP

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cc: All Counsel via ECF